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In effect June 21, 1896.

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Portage Lake News

A Large Raft of Lumber Arrives at Portage Lake.

It is the Largest Ever Towed

Through the Lake—The Sale of Cleaves & Son's Foundry—Twin City Zephyrs.

The largest raft of lumber ever brought into Portage Lake arrived at the Mincral Range dock Friday night from Dayfield, towed by the tugs Morse and Sheldon.

The raft was shipped by David King, son and was sawed for him by mills at the head of the lake.

The sale of S. E. Cleaves & Son's foundry and machine shop property took place Saturday morning.

As stated in the News a few days ago, a stock company was immediately formed and the articles of incorporation were filed with the county clerk Saturday afternoon.

Thomas B. Dunstan, of Hancock, candidate for lieutenant-governor, is at the Russell house today, and says that things are moving in the upper peninsula.

The Salisbury orchestra gave a fine concert at the Oaigaming club house Saturday evening, and after it furnished excellent music for a couple of hours of dancing.

More persons, by a hundred or so, wanted to go to Marquette yesterday on the B. of L. E. excursion than the number of cars provided by the railroad company would accommodate.

Andrew Kauth's new buildings are nearly finished. He has had his corner building a little remodeled and painted to harmonize with the new one; and the whole will be a great improvement to that portion of Quincy street.

An 11-pound baby boy arrived to cheer the home, at Franklin, of Mr. and Mrs. Casper A. Fridodig yesterday morning, in consequence of which the boys at the Franklin store are smoking Havanas today.

SURGICAL SPLINTS.

Factory Where They Are Made to Supply Surgeons of the Country.

Down the Santa Fe roundhouse, near the railroad tracks, is a factory unlike any other in the United States, or for that matter, anywhere else. It makes splints for the use of surgeons in bandaging broken limbs from a peculiar fibrous material that possesses special adaptability for the purpose.

The rafts were saved up into suitable lengths, a long put into a lathe, and a long knife is pressed against it, taking off a shaving about an eighth of an inch to be made of.

The law has become so stringent and the detective force so active that terror has stricken the illicit diamond buyers, for it is a matter of 15 years in prison to be convicted of buying a stolen diamond.

"Have you read that book on the training of children?" he asked. "I have," she replied, "I have read it through carefully, as you requested."

"It would be impossible to live up to the rules laid down by this book with any less," she answered, "and, in addition to that we must have a governess and a dancing master."

As to their moral and intellectual characteristics, these vary not only according to their native district, but also according to their social station.

Always alone, they necessarily become taciturn, and, therefore, meditative. Their life out of doors, without manual labor or fixed application, leads them to apply their minds to study the phenomena of nature, the habits of animals, the properties of plants or the course of the stars.

Dry family wood, for cash, at J. S. Stringer's fuel yard, Hancock. Telephone connection. Leave orders at the store.

SUNSHINE LAND.

They came in sight of lovely shores. Yellow as gold in the morning light; The sun's own color at noon it wore.

What was the secret? A simple thing— It will make you smile when one you know— Touched by the tender fagor of spring.

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"Conquest and possession did not go together," she said. "The modesty of the officer stopped at the door of a neat dwelling house in a retired, delightful situation, where all things told of taste and economy.

"I beg your pardon, my dear Miss Morgan; I beg your pardon. You have not the property, indeed, for me to attach, but be pleased to read lower down on the writ."

"No, not at all. You are required only to fulfill the promise just as you intended when you made it. And as to the attachment for the widow and her property, I'll serve that by deputy."

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Royal Baking Powder. Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report. ABSOLUTELY PURE.

FREE SILVER AND THE PRICE OF COTTON.

Populist Statistics Which Prove Sound Money Statements. The Arena, a Populist magazine, publishes a series of pictures intended to show the great decrease in the purchasing power of a bale of cotton, owing to the alleged "democratization" of silver.

The history of cotton prices shows, therefore, that under free silver the price of a bale of cotton declined \$322.90, from \$416.90 in 1865 to \$94 in 1873.

The advocates of free silver may attempt to answer this exposure of their low price for cotton argument by showing that there was a great increase in the cotton crop between 1865 and 1873.

Suppose You Should Be Mistaken. Farmers who think that free silver will help them to get rid of their mortgages should consider carefully what effect a 16 to 1 law will have on the lenders of capital.

Think these things over. Don't be fooled by the free silver idea that cheap money means low rates of interest. The facts are just the other way.

Gold is the speculator's dollar. The advocates of the silver standard, how about the cheap money period from 1861 to 1873? Did not speculation of all kinds flourish then, and were not the gamblers in bonds, stocks or farm products greatly aided by the depreciated and fluctuating currency?

Cheap money means dear goods. If you want to pay doubled prices for what you buy and take slim chances of getting more wages, vote for the 16 to 1 scheme.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS.

For Pedro score cards and markers, go to the News office. Smokers, if you have failed to find a cigar to suit you, try "Helmich's Crown," the best in the market.

Our lodge room can be rented for meetings on Saturday evenings. Poison Ivy, insect bites, bruises, scalds, burns, are cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, the great pile cure.

The bread and cake of the Superior Bakery can be had at the following agencies: James Linn's, Mrs. Hoskin's, Red Jacket, Martin Kuhn's, J. C. Leav's, Peter Oloson's, Calumet Village, and Welschauer's, Guilford's, Lake Linden. A trash supply is left at these agencies every day, and the prices are as low as the lowest.

Stange leaves Baril & Pearce's livery stable every day at 8 a. m., 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. Stange leaves McClure's livery stable at 8 and 10 a. m. and 4 p. m.

We have opened a second hand store at No. 312 Fifth street; we buy and sell household goods, furniture, stoves, tinware and crockery, upholstery bedding and store fixtures. We pay cash for goods and sell on easy terms. G. O. H. PROP.

Don't trifle away time when you have cholera morbus or diarrhea. Fight them in the beginning with DeWitt's Colic and Cholera Cure. You don't have to wait for results, they are instantaneous, and it leaves the bowels in healthy condition.

Any person desiring to take ice for the coming season will do well to call on John M. Messner & Son, the famous ice dealers, and make arrangements for your supply. Ice suitable for any purpose. Orders by telephone promptly delivered.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever blisters, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by D. T. Macdonald.

We are going to give a great sale of dry goods and clothing, boots and shoes for the next thirty days, to close out our summer stock. We want to make room for our fall stock, of which we will carry a big line. Call and be convinced and look over our stock. We can save you 40 cents on every dollar. The Laurium Fair, next door to post office.